

Title (en)

Automated systems and methods for harvesting and implanting follicular units

Title (de)

Automatisierte Systeme und Verfahren zum Ernten und Pflanzen von follikularen Einheiten

Title (fr)

Systèmes automatisés et procédés pour prélever et implanter des unités folliculaires

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Abstract (en)

An automated system for harvesting or implanting follicular units, including a moveable arm; a harvesting and/or implantation tool mounted on the moveable arm; one or more cameras mounted on the moveable arm; a processor configured to receive and process images acquired by the one or more cameras; and a controller operatively associated with the processor and configured to position the moveable arm based, at least in part, on processed images acquired by the one or more cameras, wherein the moveable arm is positionable such that the tool may be positioned at a desired orientation relative to an adjacent body surface.

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